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Sir:

Applicants wish to bring to the attention of the Patent Office the following

## U.S. patents:

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- U.S. Patent No. 4,251,354 to Lower, 2/1981
- U.S. Patent No. 4,582,597 to Huber, 4/1986
- U.S. Patent No. 4,613,432 to Racine et al., 9/1986
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- U.S. Patent No. 5,134,893 to Hukki et al., 8/1992
- U.S. Patent No. 5,221,008 to Derrick, Jr. et al., 6/1993
- U.S. Patent No. 5,226,546 to Janssens et al., 7/1993
- U.S. Patent No. 5,242,058 to Jones, 9/1993
- U.S. Patent No. 5,255,789 to Janssens et al., 10/1993
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All applicable presumptions and reservations afforded by 37 CFR 1.56 et seq. regarding disclosure are incorporated herein by reference.

Respectfully submitted,

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